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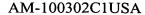
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The United States patents listed in this information disclosure statement are national phase applications of International Application No. PCT/EP96/02441, filed June 5, 1996 (International Publications No. WO 96/41807, published December 27, 1996). These patents and DN1 claim the priority of GB 19950011704, filed June 9, 1995, and GB 19950013754, filed July 6, 1995.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to consider the enclosed documents identified in this paper and in the attached Form PTO/SB/08A/B during the course of examination of this application.

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